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DODWELL, CARROLL & Co.,
Agents,
Hongkong, 21st November 1902.

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GINGER ALE.

WE have always made good GINGER ALE, and we are now making the best. At various exhibitions and competitions in London and elsewhere, GINGER ALE made by the formula we now use has won 32 PRIZE MEDALS and CERTIFICATES OF MERIT.

In 1890 competed and won against FOUR of the most famed Belfast makers.

The Analyst's report:-

"It is of an exceptionally good quality."
"Particularly pleasant to the taste."
"Decidedly tonic and sustaining."
"In every respect most satisfactory."

ARTHUR HILL HASSALL, M.D.

The ideal temperance beverage.

DAKIN, CRUICKSHANK & Co., Ltd.
Victoria Dispensary,
Queen's Road Central,
Hongkong, 17th October, 1892.

A. S. WATSON & CO., LD.

have just received

ex Steamers "BENEDI" and "GANGES"
their first shipments of

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Consisting of:-

CHOCOLATE CREMES, VANILLA PRA-

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ALMONDS, NOUGAT, JUJUBES,

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DELICIOUS FRUIT JELLIES.

ASSORTED PINEAPPLE, LIME, DAMSON,
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CALLARD AND BOWSER'S

BUTTER SCOTCH, ALMOND ROCK and
EVERTON TOFFEE.

CADBURY'S CHOCOLATES

In great variety.

CRYSTALLIZED FRUITS, MUSCATELS,
ALMONDS AND FIGS.

FANCY BOXES.

A large and varied Assortment of
ARTISTIC DESIGNS.

XMAS CARDS.

ENGLISH, JAPANESE and CHINESE,
a splendid selection.

TOM SMITH'S CRACKERS.

A LARGE STOCK WELL ASSORTED.

A. S. WATSON & CO., LD.

THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY,
ESTABLISHED A.D. 1841.
Hongkong, 16th November, 1892.

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 1892.

OFFICIAL SALARIES.

THE Colonial Secretary of Hongkong is

probably a better man at his work than

ninety-nine out of a hundred officials. He

appears to be thoroughly at home in every

detail of the routine connected with a

Secretariat in a Crown Colony, and always

exhibits the most remarkable and praiseworthy

familiarity with the intricacies of the

automatic machine known as

"Government." Further, it should be put

on record to his credit that in the very few

months he has been in Hongkong he has

acquired more than ordinary insight into

the circumstances of this Colony, no doubt

at the cost of considerable exertion

beyond the strict requirements of his position.

Many instances could be given of

his ability to meet emergencies, which

might fairly be thought beyond the capacity

of an official so placed, as all must

know who have had anything to do with

him, whether in his office or in the Council

Chamber. This statement of fact is needed

to explain an incident of the greatest

importance in yesterday's meeting of

the Finance Committee. The Appropriation

Ordinance for 1893, otherwise the Budget,

was being discussed, and the discussion had

proceeded as far as the amounts to be set

aside for Official Salaries, most of which, it may be

remembered, were increased in 1890 (for 1891)

by various amounts ranging up to 30 per

cent, with the understanding that the

increase was only for that year, and that

the question might be again raised with a

view to reduction if necessary. The Finance

Committee was yesterday asked by the

Government to recommend the granting of

salaries at the higher rate for next

year and the Unofficial members objected.

There were five Unofficials present, and

(the Acting Attorney General being

seriously ill) five Officials, but one of the

latter happened to be Chairman of the

Committee, and according to precedent

he could not have a vote at all, either as

Chairman with a casting vote in case of

an even decision, or as an ordinary

member. He professed to be doubtful

on this point, but he agreed, rather

willingly to all appearances, to settle

the doubt by not voting, so that the

Unofficials were in a majority. He could,

of course, have settled it the other way by

getting His Excellency to appoint an

Official in place of Mr. Leach when that

gentleman was so unfortunately laid up;

or the meeting might have been held over.

Either course would have resulted in the

wholesale retrenchment scheme being

nipped in the bud by the Official Phalanx,

since the Unofficials would not have

had a majority. Retrenchment, however, is

the Governor's motto, even to the extent

of resisting the Secretary of State to

the utmost of his lawful ability in case

of emergency, as the Colonial Secretary

said (with His Excellency's authority, of

course) in the debate on the item for

Volunteers. Sir WILLIAM ROBINSON there-

fore must strongly approve of his

predecessor's promise being faithfully kept,

if necessary the salaries should

be brought down again to the old rate;

for if the question is not to be reconsidered,

why did Sir W. de Vaux pledge his word

to a lie? Sir W. Robinson is fully im-

pressed with the maxim that "there is

honour among Governors," and with

this idea, he deliberately allowed the

Unofficials to use their majority. It is

hard on the Government servants; it

is especially hard on those who, like

the Governor and the Colonial

Secretary himself, were appointed after

the rise; if no warning was then given

of the possible revision, that omission would

be only in keeping with the general

taint of foolishness which has characterised

all the policy of the Hongkong Govern-

ment during recent years—until now, when

a better era is dawning. It was a thousand

pities that the 30 per cent. increase was

granted, just when the insane boom was

already beginning to collapse; but so many

mad things were done then, by all

of us as well as by the Government, that

really we have little right to throw stones

at them. It is enough that a time has come

when our eyes are opened; we will have

no more of such things. After three years

of steady, persistent adversity, it is at last

evident to everybody that the most

stringent economy is necessary, and that

if the shoe pinches here and there, it must

just go on pinching, and we must grin and

bear it.

The Governor has made up his mind.

At the Medical College function on the

25th July last Sir William Robinson said:

"During my tenure of service in different

colonies I have always been so

extremely unfortunate as to arrive in a

new colony during a financial crisis.

When I landed in the Bahamas in 1874,

the public officers had had no salaries for

three months, all the police constables

were in debt to people in the town, for

\$40, \$50, or \$60, and so on; when I left,

there was a surplus revenue of \$50,000

for the year. It was much the same in

Barbadoes, and very similar in

Trinidad; but, thank God, I overcame the

difficulties, and I trust that by the exercise

of economy and good government, before

I leave the charming shores of Hongkong

I may be in a position to announce that an

endowment of \$40,000 has been granted

to this college by a unanimous Legislative

Council. In a matter of this sort I prefer

to leave the purse strings in the hands of

the unofficers. I have no doubt we could

carry the vote for this endowment by the

Government majority, but in dealing

with finance I have never taken

advantage of a Government majority, never

spent money which has not been voted by

a majority of unofficial members." And

at the dinner, the same day, he further

asserted himself: "I have been con-

nected, I may say, with Hongkong for

a quarter of a century, and I know quite as

much of Hongkong—perhaps rather more

than the hon. member for the Chamber

of Commerce, and I would point out that

the promises which I made to-day were

conditional upon my rescuing the colony

from the financial difficulties in which it

is now placed. I trust I shall be able to show

in a few months, a permanent saving of

\$60,000 a year." In his address to the

Council on the 16th inst. Sir WILLIAM

ROBINSON mentioned that the Government

servants had "vested interests" in their

increased salaries. Surely he could not

be in earnest, unless he was most shame-

fully misinformed! The senior unofficial

member yesterday referred to the distinct

declaration of the then Administrator of

the Government, now Sir FRANCIS PERKINS,

and also to Sir WILLIAM DE VAUX prom-
ises in his speech of April 30th, 1891, as
follows:—"As the estimates which contain
these increased salaries are only voted for
one year the Council will of course be at
full liberty to reconsider the position with
reference to the estimates of 1892, and
public officers will understand that although
these salaries may be fixed at a given
amount for this year it does not follow that
they will remain at that figure for next or any
subsequent year should the circumstances of
the Colony require a reduction." And in
view of this unmistakable promise of
reconsideration, Sir W. Robinson said in
the speech above referred to:—"The Civil
Service is, to a certain extent, over-
officered, and the salaries of the clerical
service are capable of reduction, as
vacancies occur." He did not apparently
know how plainly it had been laid down
that the salaries might be reduced in any
year to their former level. He ought to
have been told—but MITCHELL-INNES has
been "forgetting" again.

These statements are plain enough—
surely nothing could be more need be
plainly. The solemn promises of Sir W.
de Vaux in his undelivered but published
speech of 30th April, 1891; the repeated
assurances of Mr. PERKINS on the 8th
Dec., 1890, and all the discussions of that
time show the most distinct understanding
that the question should be reconsidered

if necessary; and now we have a
Governor who says, as strongly as
he dare from his official position, that no
possible economy should be overlooked,
that the officials are overpaid, and that he
has never voted a cent against the wishes
of a majority of Unofficials and never
will. "Never" is a big word to throw
down; does Sir William Robinson intend
to take it up again and swallow it?

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

DR. CANARIN and Miss Beaumont (the Bijou
Company) are expected to show in Foochow
within a few days.

A SOCIETY Mrs. Parlington speaks of having
a "great many androns in the fire," and
"driving trams in the park!"

"NELL" said her little sister, "will you give me
your old bathing suit?" "What for, pet?"
"I want it as a dress for my doll."

MAILS Due:-
Singapore (Rendell) 16th instant.
Amr. (C. of R. de Vaux) 16th
Bombay (Shanghai) 4th prox.

THE Foochow Echo says that there is a rumour
of the death of H. E. P. Vaux, late Viceroy
of Fuhkien Province. It is said that he possessed
a fortune approaching that of a Rothschild.

THEY had been discussing the pronunciation of
"oleomargarine," and finally agreed to leave it
to the water, but he very wisely begged,
"Sure," said he, "I have to pronounce it butter
or lose my job."

THE officials, having been informed of the
arrival at Foochow of a gang of fugitives and
ruffians from Kien-sing-foo, offered a reward
(says the Echo) of 50 taels for information
leading to their apprehension.

Mrs. Maternal—I am sorry you are going
back to Germany. Had I not better get another
music teacher for my daughter?

Professor Von Note—Id est nod necessary.
She knows enough mooserk to get married on.

ST. PETER'S SEAMEN'S CHURCH.—The Mission
steam-launch Day Spring will call alongside
steamer-boating code pennant C, between 9 and
10.30 a.m. on Sunday, to convey men ashore to
the 11 o'clock service, returning about 12.30 p.m.

At three of the large London railway stations,
—Charing Cross, Cannon Street and London
bridge—as many as 32,000 movements for signal
and point levers have to be made every twenty-
four hours, quite apart from the telegraphic
operations.

ONE million dollars in gold coin would weigh
3,668.6 pounds. The same amount of silver coin
would weigh 58,929.9 pounds. Now, Bownie,
what has your vaunted "Silver King" to say to
that? We wonder if either Bownie or the other
man ever heard of the *Pons Asinorum*!

Rev. Doillie Dubbs (professional missionary).
—Some wicked man passed a bad dollar on me
this morning.

Mrs. Doillie Dubbs—Pald it to our old
washerman, who is nearly blind.

THE P. M. S. S. Co.'s steamer *Chika*, with
mail, which left on the 20th inst. for
Yokohama on the 11th, arrived in
Francisco on the 24th. The steamer *City of*
Rio de Janeiro did not leave Yokohama for this
port until 5 p.m. yesterday, instead of daylight,
as previously advised.

A TURTLE of the extraordinary weight of 350 lbs.
has been caught at Cheong Lok and taken to
Foochow for sale. The price asked is \$500, but
the highest bid (according to the Echo) is
\$200, offered by a Peking tea buyer, who
wishes to let it loose in the river "for good
luck." The natives say it is the largest ever
seen in Foochow.

Young Pet—Did you ever reject one of your
own articles, Mr. Shervs?

Editor—Yes, I rejected one of my own poems
once.

Y. P.—On what grounds?

Editor—I didn't feel that I had enough money
back of me to pay me what it was worth, so I
rejected it and sent it somewhere else.

THE Empress of Germany, who gave birth
recently to her seventh child, is said to be one of
the youngest-looking women of her age—thirty-
three—in Germany. Her color is excellent, and
her cheeks are as rosy as those of a peasant
girl. Although not strictly beautiful she is a
large, fine-looking woman, with an expressive
face, large blue eyes, a straight nose, and an
extremely winsome smile.

RUBINSTEIN having declared that "woman has
created nothing in music for posterity, not even
a song," the *Musical Courier* has printed a list
of 158 operas, cantatas and similar works by
ladies. Eighty-seven of these feminine com-
posers were French, 43 Italian, 20 German and
7 English, and the list contains 55 serious
operas, 6 cantatas and seven oratorios. The
Princess Amelia of Saxony composed no fewer
than fifteen works.

THE world will be surprised to hear knowing
the luxurious manner of living of Viceroy as
a class, that H. E. P. Vaux only expends 700 a
day in food for himself and his family. The
ordinary expenditure for the tables of the family
of an ordinary Viceroy is 8,000 to 10,000 a day.

H. E. P. Vaux's economy may be discredited,
but we are assured that it is a fact, and that he
will not allow a cent to be spent per diem to be spent
than the sum mentioned.

THE Band of the 1st Shropshire Light Infantry
will play the following programme at the Barrack
Square, on Monday next commencing at 7.30
p.m.:-

"See me dance" Soloman.
"Pantomime" Cato.
"With the Stars" Musical.
"Schottische" W. Schott.
"The Girl of the Year" Musical.
"Cento de Reus" Musical.
"New and True" Musical.

LIGHT shoes for horses save their legs. The
heaviest shoes have four inches of iron on the
hind shoes 12 oz. each. If 4 oz. are added
to each shoe in weight, then as a firm horse
walks from ten to twenty miles a day—with a
1 lb. more on his forefeet—he lifts 660 lb. in a
mile, or 9,900 lb., or nearly 10 tons, in fifteen
miles. By using aluminium shoes, a horse would
lift only half what he does now with iron shoes.
The shrewd racing man is putting aluminium
shoes on his racers.

THE Institution of Engineers and Shipbuilders
opened their season

Mails.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY CO.'S
ROYAL MAIL STEAMSHIP LINE.
CHINA AND JAPAN.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM
HONGKONG, 1892.

(SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.)

Empress of India | Wednesday | Nov. 30th.
Empress of Japan | Wednesday | Dec. 25th.
Empress of China | Wednesday | Jan. 25th, 93.

THE R. M. S.
"EMPEROR OF INDIA,"
Lieut. O. P. Marshall, R.N.R., Commander,
sailing at Noon, on WEDNESDAY, the 30th
November, 1892, with Her Majesty's Mails, will
proceed to VANCOUVER, via SHANGHAI,
KOBE, INLAND SEA and YOKOHAMA.

RATES OF PASSAGE.
(In Mexican Dollars).
FROM HONGKONG, FIRST CLASS.

TO	Unit	Way Fares	Prepaid return.	
			4 mos.	12 mos.
Vancouver, Victoria, Esqui- mault, New Westminster, B.C., Port Townsend, Seattle, Ta- coma, Wash., Portland, Ore., San Francisco,	225	338	394	
Banff, Calgary, Alberta	255	383	447	
Winnipeg, Man.	275	413	482	
To Minneapolis, St. Paul, Duluth, Minn.	285	428	499	
Chicago, Ill., Kansas City, St. Louis, Mo.	295	443	517	
Milwaukee, Wis.				
Detroit, Mich., Cincinnati, Cleveland, Columbus, O.				
Hamilton, London, Toronto, Ont.	305	458	534	
Buffalo, Niagara Falls, N.Y., Kingston, Ottawa, Ont., Mon- treal, Quebec, Quec.				
New York, Albany, Troy, Rochester, N.Y.				
Baltimore, Md., Philadelphia, Pittsburg, Pa.	315	465	543	
Washington, D. C., Boston, Mass., Portland, Me.				
Hallifax, N.S., St. John, N.B., Liverpool and London via Li- verpool	325	573	650	
Paris, via Liverpool and Lon- don.	335			
Havre, via Liverpool	345			
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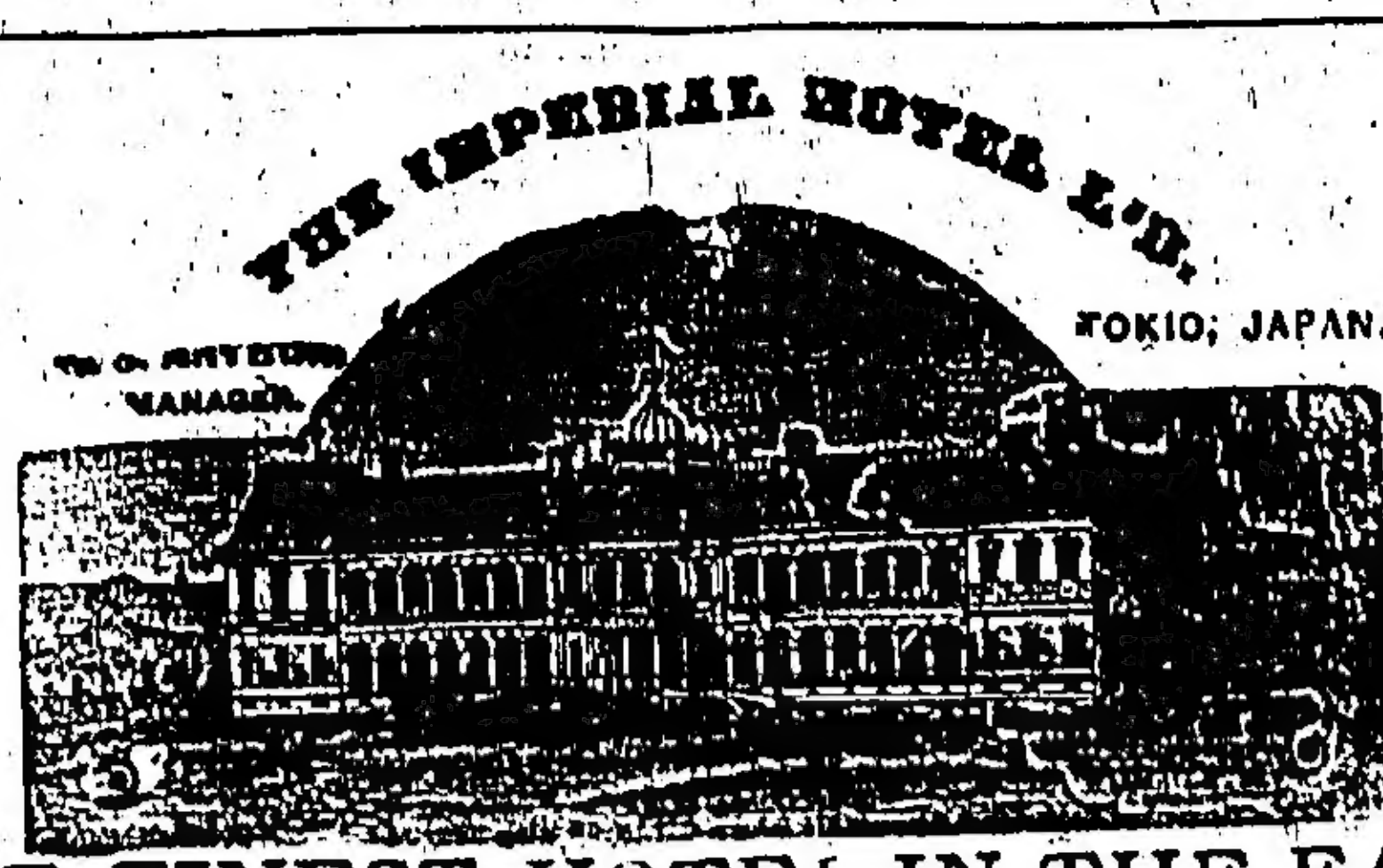
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Hongkong, 13th October, 1892. [1018]

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Hongkong, 12th February, 1892. [108]

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6.—Harrison, W. Stuart, Residence.

2.—Dr. Harrison, Canille & Cowie.

82.—Ho Tung, Praya Central.

2.—Holliday, Wise & Co.

11.—Holliday, C. J., Residence.

23.—Hongkong Club.

58.—Hongkong Electric Co., Ltd.

32.—Hongkong